What is claimed is:

1   1.   A method for translating documents in an apparel supply chain, comprising
2   the steps of:
3   (a)   receiving a plurality of documents which include information reflecting
4   services in an apparel supply chain, wherein the documents are received
5   utilizing a network;
6   (b)   translating the documents for the purpose of the processing thereof; and
7   (c)   outputting the processed documents to the apparel supply chain utilizing the
8   network.

1   2.   The method as recited in claim 1, wherein the documents are updated in
2   accordance with the processing thereof.

1   3.   The method as recited in claim 1, and further comprising precluding the
2   translation of predetermined components of the information.

1   4.   The method as recited in claim 1, wherein the documents are translated in
2   accordance with process templates.

1   5.   The method as recited in claim 1, wherein the documents are translated to a
2   predetermined language based on the process templates.

1   6.   The method as recited in claim 1, wherein the network includes the Internet.

1   7.   A computer program product for translating documents in an apparel supply
2   chain, comprising:
3   (a)   computer code for receiving a plurality of documents which include
4   information reflecting services in an apparel supply chain, wherein the
5   documents are received utilizing a network;

6   (b)   computer code for translating the documents for the purpose of the

7   processing thereof; and

8   (c)   computer code for outputting the processed documents to the apparel supply

9   chain utilizing the network.

1   8.   The computer program product as recited in claim 7, wherein the documents

2   are updated in accordance with the processing thereof.

1   9.   The computer program product as recited in claim 7, and further comprising

2   computer code for precluding the translation of predetermined components

3   of the information.

1   10.   The computer program product as recited in claim 7, wherein the documents

2   are translated in accordance with process templates.

1   11.   The computer program product as recited in claim 7, wherein the documents

2   are translated to a predetermined language based on the process templates.

1   12.   The computer program product as recited in claim 7, wherein the network

2   includes the Internet.

1   13.   A system for translating documents in an apparel supply chain, comprising:

2   (a)   logic for receiving a plurality of documents which include information

3   reflecting services in an apparel supply chain, wherein the documents are

4   received utilizing a network;

5   (b)   logic for translating the documents for the purpose of the processing thereof;

6   and

7   (c)   logic for outputting the processed documents to the apparel supply chain

8   utilizing the network.

1 14. The system as recited in claim 13, wherein the documents are updated in

2 accordance with the processing thereof.

1 15. The system as recited in claim 13, and further comprising logic for

2 precluding the translation of predetermined components of the information.

1 16. The system as recited in claim 13, wherein the documents are translated in

2 accordance with process templates.

1 17. The system as recited in claim 13, wherein the documents are translated to a

2 predetermined language based on the process templates.

1 18. The system as recited in claim 13, wherein the network includes the Internet.